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ICE CAPADES IN WATERLOO

"S Wonderful", a special salute to composers George and Ira Gershwin, will start off this year's Ice Capades show, set to open Saturday, November 2 at Waterloo's McElroy Auditorium.

This lavish musical spectacle, features the skating artistry of Adelle Boucher and the exciting adagio team of Montaigne and Blakk.

The glamorous costumes of Bill Campbell, the ultra post sets of Bill Goodwin, the music of James Harbert and the stunning choreography of Bob Turk provide the essential ingredients for the skaters.

Other productions included in this year's show are "Lidsville", as acrobatic skater Ken Shook takes you to the world of hats; "Celebration", which highlight the artistic skating of Ann Margret Frei; "Ding a-Ling" a far out world presenting Dan and Lisa and exciting Sheri Thrapp; "Sentimental Journey", a nostalgic trip through the decades of the 40's 50's and 60's; and a rousing finale, "Say it with Music", saluting the era of the big bands.

Star performer Glenn Parriott adds an electrifying performance to the sound of Broadway Music.

Comedy is provided by trampo-diver Vic Zoble, the many comedy team of Stock and McDonald, and the hilarious duo, Wes and Chris.

Also making their Ice Capades debut, are the Fentons. These first generation circus performers, ranging in age from seven to fifteen, have successfully transplanted their unique acrobatic act to the world of ice.

The show, in its 33rd edition, will give five

performances, at McElroy Auditorium, 2 and 8 P.M. Saturday, 2 and 6 P.M. Sunday and 8 P.M. Monday.

Ice Capades tickets go on sale Oct. 14 at the McElroy Auditorium Box Office. Hours: 10a.m.-6 P.M. Monday thru Saturday. Regular ticket prices are \$3, \$4, \$4.50 and \$5 (tax included.)

There will be a special price for youth 16 and under. Also, admission for 2 P.M. Saturday 6 P.M. Sunday and 8 P.M. Monday shows will be half-price for all adults. For ticket information call 291 4551.

N.A.A.C.P. HOST BANQUET

Saturday, November 16, at 7:00 P.M. the Black Hawk County Branch of the National Association of Colored People will host their Freedom Fund Life Membership Banquet at Porkey's Red Carpet. Co-chairpersons for the event are Mr. & Mrs. James Anderson, who chaired the 1971 banquet attended by over 400 members and friends.

Honorary Youth committee Chairperson is Mr. Mark Weems, who is working diligently to involve Waterloo youth in NAACP endeavors.

Honorary Chairperson is the Rev. Percy Burt pastor of the Mt. Calvary Baptist Church with an honorary committee of over 50 persons known for their dedication to community betterment.

The freedom fund address will be given by Dr. Buell G. Gallagher the esteemed Vice Chairman of the National Board of Directors from New York City.

This affair is open to the public. Tickets are \$10.00 a person and can be reserved by sending a check made out to the Black Hawk Branch NAACP and mailed to P.O. Box 2343 Waterloo, Iowa



Peter Middleton Democratic candidate for State Representative, District 34, called for a greater commitment of community and state resources to improving day care for children. Speaking to a group of day care professionals, Middleton stressed the shortage of facilities in Black Hawk County and the state.

In Black Hawk County alone there are approximately 4,157 children whose mother are in the work force, yet enrollment potential at day care facilities is only 370 children. "The legislation passed last year is only a beginning

There are many important reasons other than employment, why families need day care, health reasons, social and/or emotional needs of parent or child temporary care during emergencies such as hospitalization.

It provided voluntary licensing and \$500,000 to be shared by "adequate day care standards and licensing of all day care facilities is necessary to guarantee the welfare and safety of children in the day care centers.

CONGRADULATION B.J.

The Bee Hive would like to congratulate The Human Rights Commission on the appointment of Miss Betty Jean Ferguson (B.J.) as its director. We feel that the appointment of Miss Ferguson will benefit both blacks and whites in the community.

In the field of human relation we feel that, Miss Ferguson, is very well qualified. She has been active in these circles on both sides of the river for a number of years.

She has a masters in Social work and wide

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RAY ATTORNEY WARNED

In courtroom drama, a U.S. District judge stopped short of handing a contempt of court citation to a county public defender who has refused

to open state records on the death of the Rev. Martin Luther King, Jr. to defense attorneys of the confessed killer, James Earl Ray.

Judge Robert McRae said, however, that he would hand down the contempt charge if Edward Thompson refused to comply with his August 23 order within a reasonable time.

The judge had ordered that Thompson open the files so that Ray's attorneys could have access to "relevant" records.

James Lesar, a Washington attorney, and one of the three defense lawyers for Ray had asked Judge McRae to charge Thompson with contempt. The state of Tennessee

has appealed the judge's order to the U.S. Court of Appeals for the sixth circuit, and Thompson has said that the files will remain closed until then.

Ray's attorneys have said that they want to scan the documents to prepare for Ray's upcoming October Federal Court hearing to determine if he was coerced into pleading guilty.

NEW ASSEMBLY HEAD

The National Black Political Assembly, in a change from its practice of electing nationally known figures to its top posts, has elected Ron A. Daniels, an Ohio college instructor who will succeed Rep. Charles Diggs of Michigan. Daniels is a teacher of African studies,

The World of Money

By WILEY HARRIS
National Black News Service
(Mr. Harris, an official of the Pioneer Western Corporation, discusses the world of money and finances weekly in this column prepared exclusively for the National Black News Service and its readers.)

In the age-old quest to "live," many women in the work force today often forget that "living dollars" are a very important addition to that pursuit.

Many are facing old age without the benefit of enough money to live on.

This is particularly true in the case of working women who are single. These women should take precious care in developing their retirement programs--both from a health viewpoint and from the viewpoint of available "living dollars."

It is heartbreaking to hear of a senior citizen who is barely able to make ends meet--some are really in destitute situations--no matter who it is.

But it is often more tragic to witness when it is a woman.

Yet, thousands of working women in the U.S. today are doing absolutely nothing about preparing for their futures. They act as though

there is no tomorrow--and that they will be able to continue their work and forever receive their salaries. This is just not the case.

There are approximately 140,000 single working women who will retire this year--most ranging in age from 55 to 65. It would be frightening to interview these ladies and learn how many will be facing a lean, worrisome old age--they just did not give proper attention to the financial situations.

For working single women in the younger age bracket with many productive work years still ahead of them--the time is now to begin planning.

And it is not a minute too soon. Savings and investments can help to fulfill the "living dollars" problem during retirement when added to Social Security dollars--plus company, union or professional pensions.

Single working women should begin now to insure their future.

Review and careful scrutiny of one's financial status, the seeking of professional financial counseling--and setting up of intelligent, workable programs--are vitally important.

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LUNCH HOUR MINI COURSE AT EAST LIBRARY

What's New in Downtown "Waterloo" will be the subject of the lunch hour mini-course at the East Public Library on Thursday, Oct. 24 from noon to 1 p.m.

The speaker will be William H. Burger from the National Bank of Waterloo who is chairman of the Downtown Action Committee. He will talk about plans for the future of the downtown area.

The lunch hour mini-course, sponsored by the Hawkeye Institute of Technology, are offered free of charge, every Thursday. They are formal and informative programs covering a wide variety of subjects.

The public is invited to take a sack lunch to the library and enjoy the weekly "Lunch 'n' Learn" programs. Coffee is provided.



A GIFT FOR REMEMBERING--Charles W. Wilson, Public Affairs Department, Eastman Kodak Company, presented 16-year-old Chauncey Douglas of Goldsboro, N.C., with a Kodak pocket Instamatic camera outfit during memorable ceremonies in Danville, Va., where she was named the winner in the second annual Miss Black Teenage World Pageant.

Attica Defendant Cleared

BUFFALO -- (NBNS) -- The first of the Attica prison riot defendants, Willie Smith, 27, has been freed of charges surrounding the incident.

Supreme Court Justice Frank Bayger dismissed charges of sodomy and sexual abuse in connection with an alleged attack on another inmate the first night of the riot.

World church council to renew Anti-Racism program

WEST BERLIN -- (NBNS) -- The World Council of Churches plans to renew and expand its Program to Combat Racism despite criticism that funds have been used to buy arms for African liberation groups.

The Council's Central Committee decided to continue the project after reviewing its first five years of operation. It concluded that the small amount of money involved--raised through member churches--was less significant than the opportunity the program afforded for educational work and the encouragement of the program offers to groups fighting colonialism and other forms of oppression.

A target of at least \$300,000 a year was set for funding liberation groups. In the past five years the Council has raised and distributed more than \$1 million to such groups.

The Council funds have been earmarked for humanitarian purposes, such as social services, education and medical needs, connected with the efforts of African liberation movements.

Critics have claimed, however, that some of the funds have been used for arms and have questioned whether this was a proper expenditure for church organizations.

The Council's Central Committee also decided to hold its next General Assembly in Mairobi, Kenya. Originally the fifth assembly was scheduled for Jakarta, but was blocked by Moslem objections to a Christian conference being held in Indonesia.

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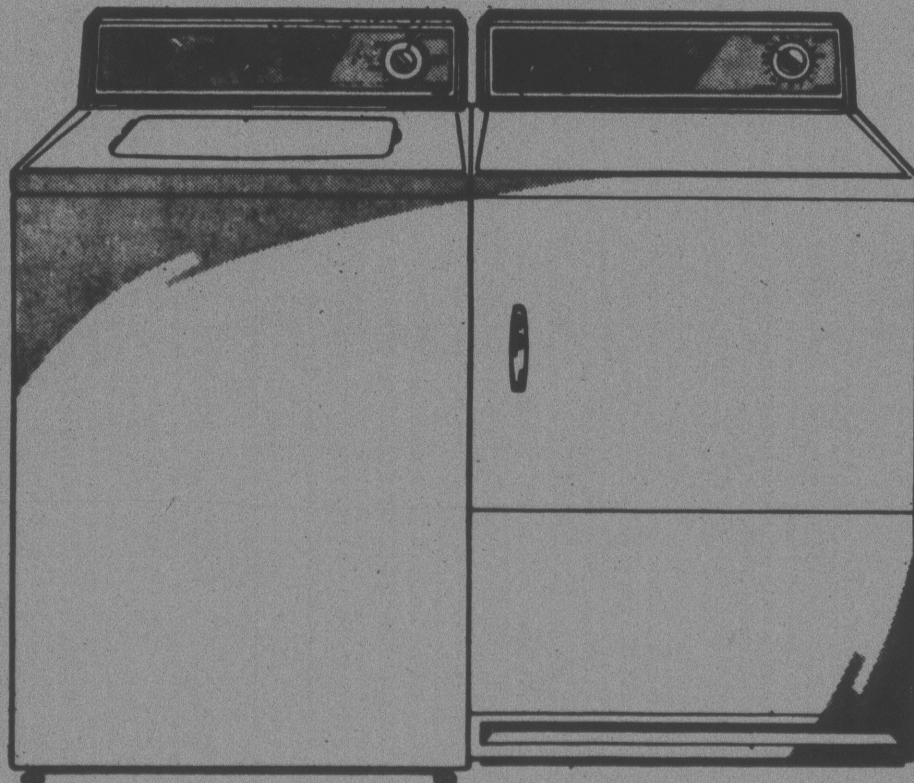
October 26th is the last day to register to vote for people who are 18 and over. If you are interested in what goes on in your community, then get yourself registered, especially if you are black. Make the community your concern. Have a say as to what goes on.

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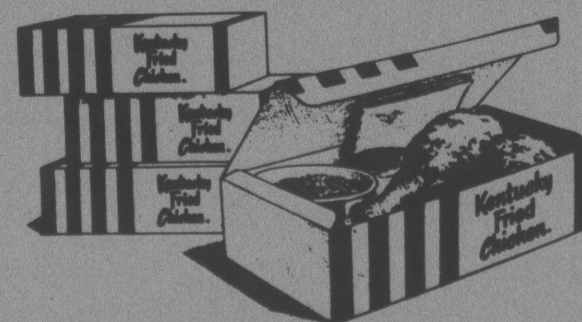
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FIRST BLACK MANAGER

Frank Robinson has been named the first black manager in major league baseball history.

He will become the playing manager of the Cleveland Indians, the team which gave the first black man a chance to play in the American League.

The 40-year-old baseball star will continue to receive the \$173,000 a year salary he was given when he came to the Indians last month on waivers from the California Angels. He will serve as a designated hitter as well as manager of the Indians.

It was the Cleveland Indians who in 1947 hired Larry Doby as the first black player in the American League.

Earlier that season Jackie Robinson had broken the racial barrier in the major leagues' with the Brooklyn Dodgers of the National League. Doby is now a coach with the Indians.

The Indian's also had the major leagues' last playing manager-- Lou Bourdeau, who was player-manager first for the Indians and then for the Boston Red Sox some 20 years ago.

When word spread of Robinson's appointment as baseball's first black manager, homerun King Henry Aaron said in Atlanta: "My heart is still thumping, I think I'll go out and celebrate." Maury Wills said: "If it's true, it's fantastic."

Robinson took his history-making opportunity more calmly. "The toughest thing about managing is not that I am black," he said. "I hope they would hire me more for my qualifications than for that. But after rubbing elbow with these guys, it would be a funny feeling realizing you'll be the Man and you can't do things like go out drinking with them anymore."

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SPORTS CAPSULE

In addition to having blacks as heads of the Detroit Wheels and Florida Blazers-- Louis R. Lee and Rommie Loudd-- the World Football League has a woman, Diane Plotts, as acting general manager of the Hawaiians.

Ed (Too Tall) Jones of the National Football League's Dallas Cowboys may emerge as the first player to become a superstar as a substitute, with his spectacular plays on passing downs. It could lead to a new trend of defensive line men in the NFL moving into higher salary brackets if the early season trend toward interceptions, recovered fumbles and blocked passes continues.

Veteran Boston Celtic guard Don Chaney, who has been suspended for failing to report to training camp, has signed a future contract with the American Basketball Association's St. Louis Spirits.

Chaney will play out his option this year at Boston and join the club for the 1975-76 season in St. Louis. The Spirit also signed Maurice Lucas of Marquette University to a contract, which calls for him to report immediately.

Muhammad Ali, who most observers thought would ease off in his conditioning program for the upcoming championship fight with George Foreman, has decided to resume his early morning running and will continue working out in the gym.

Muhammad Ali, knows what he is doing," declared trainer Angelo Dundee. "He does not want to lose the physical edge. He will not box every day but he'll work out."

I have never seen him so intent on winning a fight. He is not clowning anymore. He is almost to serious."

Ex-Detroit Lions tackle Alex Karras, who has taken over the third spot on the ABC National League Monday night game may be in trouble next year.

Fourteen-year veteran Deacon Jones, who is getting a little tired of sacking rival quarterbacks, plans on giving Karras a little competition for the job.

"I'd like to get a shot at that job as the permanent replacement," Deacon explained. "All it takes is a cat who

knows what he is talking about and can reach out and grab the audience. That's my deal, that's the secret of the whole thing."

Deacon plans to retire after this year, after completing his first season with the Washington Redskins.

"Karras is okay," Deacon insists. "He's got good humor and he calls it like he sees it. He explains situations that need explaining, especially in the interior line. But everybody has his own style. My style is the way I played. I've been controversial over the years, and I've been out-spoken throughout my career."

ANGELA DAVIS ATTACKS ROCKEFELLER NOMINATION

Angela Davis, testifying as "co-chair person of the National Alliance Against Racist and Political Repression, has urged the Senate Rules Committee to reject the nomination of Nelson Rockefeller for Vice President because of his handling of the Attica riots.

Testifying with the Rev. Ben Chavis at her side, the black communist scholar said Rockefeller's refusal to grant amnesty to the rebellious Attica prisoners in 1971 led to the deaths of 43 persons.

The Rev. Mr. Chavis, who is appealing a 34-year murder sentence in North Carolina did not testify but the Committee heard testimony from W. Haywood Burns, attorney for the Attica Brothers Legal Defense, and from Frank Smith, a former Attica inmate who participated in the rebellion.

Burns said Rockefeller was responsible for "human tragedy that ranks in the annals of national disgrace with My Lai. His refusal to go to Attica State Prison, coupled with his order for the state military assault on the unarmed men inside, cost the lives of 43 people."

Miss Davis contrasted Rockefeller's refusal to give amnesty for the prisoners with his description of President Ford's pardon of President Nixon as "an act of conscience, compassion and courage."

"How profoundly hypocritical this is," she said, "and how revealing of Rockefeller's true concept of justice and law. The regime of Richard Nixon did more to undermine constitutional government, subvert the democratic process and endanger the liberties of the people than any other single event in recent history."

She charged that he permitted state police

and prison guards to stage one of the most wanton massacres in the history of the United States, after ignoring the prisoners' demands for "a human environment in Attica."

A burst of applause from a segment of the audience when she took her place at the witness table was quickly gavelled down. Six of the nine committee staff members were on hand to hear her.

Sen. Hugh Scott (R PA) questioned her about her belief that the "central demand" of the prisoners was for immunity from prosecution for the uprising, and that if it had been granted "that would have been satisfactory."

Scott sought to get her to comment on the prisoners' demand for transportation to a non-imperialist country.

"I understand the reasons behind the demand she said. "I do not know if this was a realistic demand."

MEREDITH MARCH ENDS

James Meredith, who integrated the University of Mississippi in the 1960s, has limped here ending a 50-mile march from Jackson to promote black voter registration.

"I feel all right," he said, referring to a similar 1966 march from Memphis to Jackson when he was shot. "The only thing is my feet--they are 99 percent covered with blisters."

He said the new walk was not directly related to his twice-rebuffed bid to get on the Nov. 5 ballot as an independent congressional candidate. He led in the Democratic primary was withdrawn before the runoff, claiming that the party would not support his bid if he had won the nomination.

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BLACK WOMANHOOD PRAISED

Atlanta Mayor Maynard Jackson lauded black womanhood, cited grim statistics and roused a capacity audience at the fourth annual fund-raising dinner of the Congressional Black Caucus. The \$100-a-plate affair was held at the Washington Hilton.

The dapper mayor brought the audience to its feet as he talked about black womanhood--that "rock of ages" that "to wer of power" who has given us the will to do when others don't, the will to keep on keeping on."

In a speech punctuated with applause, Mayor Jackson said "the black woman is so often seen standing at the bus stop, clothed in the rainments of poverty, surrounded by rumpled shopping bags, waiting for her ride home after a hard day's work for far too little money."

"Here is not the smooth contour of the Venus de Milo, the mysterious smile of the Mona Lisa or the languid beauty of a Paul Gaughin Polynesian bather, Jackson said.

"She bulges from to many starches, She grimaces from corns and bunions that vie for position on weary feet. She is weathered by the heavy burden of being overworked, oppressed and ignored, But she is our rock of ages."

"She taught us to stick together," Jackson said, "yet, she saw the anti-black elected official, self-consuming, paranoid lunacy of a National Black Political Convention in Little Rock (last March) that fiddled around while home was burning." She taught us to survive on little in a land of plenty, Yet now she stands in mute amazement at an America where the thing that is fed the best is inflation, and it

is impartial to dark meat. The mayor then recited a litany of staggering statistics which showed a glaring difference between whites and blacks in this country.

The black unemployment rate is double that of whites, Jackson said, 20 per cent in some inner-city neighborhoods and 36 per cent among black teenagers; the black high school drop-out rate is twice the national average and black college graduates often earn less than the white high school graduate; a black American has four times greater chance of dying before age 35; sixty per cent of black children under the age of 14 who were born in a public hospital, have never seen a dentist.

Also if you are black, chances of being robbed are trippled; if you make less than \$3,000, your chances of being robbed are five times higher than if your income is over \$10,000, and a black, poor woman's chances of being raped are four times as high.

If Richard Nixon were black, he would be catching so much hell he would rather be in jail," Jackson told an applauding audience.

Continuing his attack on Nixon, Jackson said while the "rock of ages" urged us to be boy scout and girl scouts, Nixon was rewriting the oath to read "on my honor I will do my best to get my part and steal the rest."

The mayor suggested that black people redefine strategies, "sharpen our political tools, stick to our goals...." because the "rock of ages taught us that the essence of black people is will, perseverance and a dogged determina-

tion to survive. "We must have the will to keep our eyes on the goal and not become disillusioned with the process," he stressed.

Reminding the audience that we still live in an era of more hate than love, more discord than unity, more ignorance than enlightenment, more poverty than wealth, more despair than hope, more neglect than attention, more problems than solutions.

Mayor Jackson urged that we seek allies regardless of color... Because in its ultimate dimensions "the struggle for black liberation is a battle for human rights black and whites."

And he emphasized that while black men must look to themselves for and each other for strength, they must also draw strength and inspiration from the black woman, our rock of ages.

CANDIDATES SPEAKS

FRANK ALEXANDER
Mr. Frank Alexander, Democratic Candidate for Black Hawk County Sheriff's Office addressed the "Les Dames" of Waterloo Monday night.

Alexander said that for one hundred and twenty years Black Hawk County's Sheriff's office has been held by one party, the Republicans. Alexander continued, "the lessen of American history, particularly that of the last few years, teaches us that a two party system is valuable."

He argued, "With a Democrat in the Sheriff's office there will be a fresh viewpoint with new ideals. With the rising crime rate in Black Hawk County it is time for a change to new ideas and approaches."

DICK CLARK AT RAPP FUND RAISING OCT. 19

U.S. Senator Dick Clark will be the featured speaker at a fundraiser honoring Stephen J. Rapp Democratic candidate for Congree in Iowa's third district.

The six-county affair will be held at the Tall Corn Motor Inn in Marshalltown on Saturday, October 19, Social hour will begin at 6:30 P.M. and dinner will be at 7:30 .

The fundraiser is expected to attract people from six-county radius consisting of Marshall Tama, Grundy, Hamilton, Hardin and Bulter County.

Tickets maybe purchased from the following county coordinators: Marshall county: Emory Wunn, Marshalltown Headquarters. Grundy: Robert Thompson in Reinbeck; Tama county Wilbur Kirchner in Toledo. Ticket sales for Hardin will be handled by Leonard Hoffman: Hamilton by Salley Sinclair and Loren Fletchall: Bulter county by Charlie Stanton of Greene and Peg Spain of Parkerburg.

DIANE BRANDT

Iowa's school aid formula should be changed so that it has a more realistic growth factor according to Diane Brandt Democratic candidate for the Iowa House in District 35.

"The problem with our present growth factor, based on increases in state revenue and property valuation, is that it lags way behind actual cost increases caused by inflation," she told members of the Phi Delta Kappa educational fraternity meeting in Waterloo Thursday Night.

"We must change the formula so that it reflects current rates of inflation." Mrs. Brandt said she would also like to see the aid formula which would from a flat per pupil basis to a weighted formula which would reflect the varying costs of educating different types of students.

Under the weighted plan she explained, more state aid would be allotted for high-school students than for elementary, since high school education is more costly to a school district. Like wise, extra aid would be allotted for students in special education programs such as vocational technical or compensatory education programs.

"Another change I would make in the school aid formula, is to remove the cost of transportation and place it in a separate bill. This would make it easier to give equal treatment to public and parochial students."

LYNN CULTER SPEAKS

After a full week-end of campaign appearances including the candidate forum at Jesse Cosby Center Saturday night, Lynn Culter, Democratic candidate for the Black Hawk County Board of Supervisors, spoke to the Auxillary of the United Auto Workers Monday Night

Mrs. Culter, responding to a discussion on crime, justice and pen (continued on page 8)

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TAX CUT FOR POOR BEING CONSIDERED

Tax cuts to help low income persons cope with inflation is now expected to win approval by the Ford Administration.

The idea for tax relief for the working poor was recommended by many speakers at the 12 preliminary meeting last week's national conference on inflation. And just before the conference the White House conceded that it was thinking of supporting the proposition as part of President Ford's economic program.

The principal objective of tax cuts for low income individuals would be to help offset their loss of purchasing power to inflation. The primary obstacle to the proposal has been the subsequent loss of Treasury revenue, but it appears the President has that matter worked out as well.

The White House would only say, when asked by reporters at a press conference, that tax cuts for the poor was being given "intense, active study."

The President wants to find ways to alleviate hardships caused by soaring prices of food, fuel, and other goods and services.

The President's economic advisers were greatly surprised by the overwhelming consensus among the nation's top economists that emerged on tax relief and help for lower-income Americans.

The biggest problem with the tax proposal is that the government must find other means to recoup the lost revenues in order to keep the federal deficit at current levels and to insure that they were not fanning inflation.



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One Administration official said that President Ford was looking at "consumption taxes" like sales and excise taxes. Reportedly, the Administration is also looking at increased income taxes for higher-income people and increased corporate taxes. Congress is scheduled to come back from a mid-October recess in the middle of November and could be expected to take up the tax cut for the poor at that time.

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Continued violence mars Mozambique peace

LOURENCO MARQUES--(NBNS) Widespread violence, uncontrolled looting and wanton vandalism, have broken out here. According to reports, thousands of Africans armed with machetes and clubs roamed through a number of towns and villages looting shops and smashing doors and windows. Africans were also reported to have wrecked havoc on outlying farms, maiming cattle and setting fires to crops. The reason for the outburst is not known. In one town, Antonio Enes, a small port north of Quelimane whites, fearing for the lives, have retreated into more defensible buildings and have fired on the violent black mob. Pereira Rosa, a resident of the town, described the attacks as "an orgy of destruction" by the Africans who are capitalizing on the decision of the Portuguese army to withdraw from the territory.

Rosa said "armed Africans broke into my house and looted it. Nothing is left. They also broke into my trading store smashing refrigerators and destroying whatever food stocks they could not carry away." Although it is known if the attackers are part of an organized movement, it is believed that they are lawbreakers making the most of the vacuum left by the withdrawal of the Portuguese army from rural areas and small towns in this East African territory to which Portugal has promised independence. NBNS

Guyana, Tanzania Named to U.N. Security Council

UNITED NATIONS, N.Y.--(NBNS) Guyana and Tanzania are among the five nations elected to the United Nations Security Council for the coming year. Kenya's term expires at the end of this year. nbns

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Ethiopians read new draft constitution

ADDIS ABABA--(NBNS)--Haile Selassie will probably be Ethiopia's last Emperor.

The military, which now runs the country, has released a proposed constitution that would bare the emperor of all his power and establish a parliamentary democracy.

The constitution would end 3,000 years of absolute rule and put governmental power in the hands of the people. It will greatly reduce the role of Selassie who has ruled for 56 years.

WATERLOO COMMISSION ON HUMAN RIGHTS

In a close session of the Waterloo Commission of Human Rights meeting Mrs. Pat Reed submitted a report on the cases being investigated by the commission. Mrs. Reed stated that there is a total of 160 cases, fifty of which has been closed. The commission now has 110 cases on file. Mrs. Reed stated that the majority of the cases were sex discrimination. This procedure of case status will be continued by the new Director.

If the constitution is approved, it will mark the first time in 38 centuries that Ethiopians will have had the opportunity to participate in the political process.

It was the emperor himself who in March ordered a revision of the constitution to establish a constitutional monarchy, but he now appears to be its first victim.

The proposed constitution strips the emperor from appointing, or even nominating the premier, who would be elected for a four-year term by a bi-cameral Parliament and be responsible directly to that body, rather than to the monarch.

Also, the emperor would no longer continue to appoint judges, ministers or high government officials. He would simply proclaim laws, treaties, amnesties, wars and states of emergency approved or called for by the council of ministers.

The emperor would also cease being the Chilot--the nation's highest court of last resort, where he now dispenses justice according to his wisdom and personal whims rather than the law. There would be a supreme court, however, with a chief justice elected for life by Parliament, and independent judiciary.

The emperor would continue to be the symbol of Ethiopian unity and history. The crown would remain attached to the line of Haile Selassie which dates back to Solomon and Sheba.

But, there is a major change, the crown must go to the eldest child, male or female, and the emperor would no longer have the right of choosing the successor.

The proposed constitution would separate the Ethiopian Coptic Christian Church--the pillar of the monarchy and the political system--from the state, and it would function as an independence entity.

Too, there is great autonomy provided for the country's 14 provinces. Each would have its own legislature, govern its own internal affairs, issue laws and select local judges and officials, but would continue to be financed by the central government.

Like the Watergate transcripts, the publication of the proposed constitution was an instant best seller. The Amharic-language paper publishing the draft document was sold out and its price on the black market zoomed 10 times over.

SPORTS NEWS

With the defeat of Central at the hands of Marshalltown, it would appear that the Waterloo-Cedar Falls area will not have a representative in the high school football playoff.

Nino Jefferson

Angola to be free in 1976

LISBON -- (NBNS) -- The Portuguese military junta has targeted 1976 for the independence of its African territory of Angola and has promised to establish a transitional government only if there is an early cease-fire with the guerilla groups.

The junta said that the Portuguese government was negotiating a cease-fire with the various liberation movements in Angola as "a vital condition for the success of formal negotiations" for independence.

The plan for independence of Angola contemplates the inclusion of whites and members of all the liberation movements in the territory.

Also, the provisional government would have to hold elections for a constituent assembly within two years. It would be charged with drawing up a constitution for the new state and defining whatever associations it wanted to maintain with Portugal.

After approval of the constitution, the assembly would be dissolved and new elections held for a legislative assembly and a government "legitimately representative of the sovereign will of the people of Angola," according to the plan.

The National Front for the Liberation of Angola (FNLA), the largest of the three liberation movements here have rejected the plan, according to the Zaire news agency.

ROBIN HOOD MOVIE AT THE LIBRARY

"Robin Hood", an 85 minute movie starring Richard Todd, will be shown at the Waterloo Public Library.

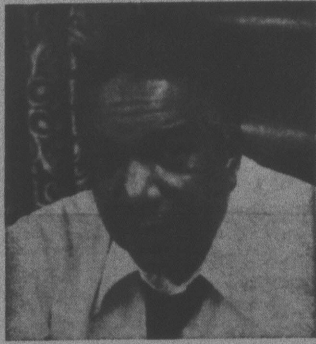
The film can be seen at the West Library on Wednesday, Oct. 23, and at the East Library on Thursday Oct. 24, at 3:30 and 7:00 P.M.

Mary O'Malley, head of the adult services at the library, said this film tells the story of England's most celebrated outlaw and his band of merry men. It's full of high adventure and intrigue. Good entertainment.

The show is open to the public without charge.

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"Black Power and Community Development"

We in business and those in the social services talk constantly about the concept of community development and the potential it holds for Black people. But very few sit down to say what it means in terms of an economic and political base or even where we should begin to develop it.

Recently a member of NBL's Committee for National Policy Review commented, "We must demonstrate unity in the struggle for survival of all segments of the Black community. All of us must find a common bond of sharing the deprivations of Blacks."

I think that is the starting point . . . UNITY. Understanding and sharing in the problems somehow makes achieving the future successes more satisfying. When that bond is translated into a unified body of people -- committed to a common cause and with the resources to achieve their goals -- then we begin to understand the "power of unity."

At the National Business League's Convention in Atlanta, October 23-26, 1974, we will devote our attention to making the concept of the "power of unity" the foundation upon which we as Blacks will develop into an economically and socially viable part of the international scene.

The strategy to achieve this includes pioneering new areas of African and Caribbean business opportunities. But it also calls for the revival of some of those basic institutions that have brought the Black community to the point it is today. I'm talking about our Black banking, lending, saving, and insurance institutions.

That is what I call development -- identifying, challenging, and conquering these new frontiers that will shore-up and solidify that which we already have.

If there is one element that has stood by

us through the other hard times, it has been our Black money institutions.

Historically, the majority banking and lending enterprises have been the happy recipients of our deposits and repositories of our hard-earned savings. Yet when the time comes to assist us in financing our dreams of ownership of home, property, or business, we are time and again met with unhearing ears. The other method was to charge an interest rate so far above prime interest rates that we couldn't afford it anyway. Where did we go then, to the "Brother" down the street.

I am not hesitant to repeat a belief that I have expressed to Black people across this country and that is: every time you bank, save, or borrow from a white institution, you are financing your own discrimination. That's what the facts of money-making are all about.

When we have at our disposal every sort of Black bank, credit union, lending and saving association, there is no excuse for any one of them failing because of lack of support from the Black community.

As far as I'm concerned, banking and saving Black equals Black power for community development. When the Black-earned dollar stays in our community we can rest assured that that money is going to serve the needs and interests of our community.

There is no question of the power of economic unity. If we can amass the money we earn and spend outside our community and then channel it back into the community; no one will have to worry about or study the possibilities and potential for development in the Black community. We would be a model for the world. The power of unity would have another REAL example.

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A Message From The African Palace Neighborhood Youth Center

Hello:

Today we received word that Mr. Charles McMillan Regional Director, U.S. Department of Commerce, Office of Minority Business Enterprise will be in the area visiting relatives and friends.

The V.L.P. Staff of the African Palace thought this would be a great opportunity to talk to Charles whom most of us know.

We have planned a very informal social hour this coming Sunday, October 20th at the African Palace from 4:00 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. We sure hope you can come and renew and old friendship.

Sincerely
V.E.P. Staff
Vocation Exploration Program
Ada Tredwell-Coordinator
Dorothy Turner-Community Relator

Zaire Jewelry To Be Handled By Swiss

KINSHASA -- (NBNS) -- Two Swiss industrial groups and Zairian gold and jewelry exporters have agreed on a contract calling for the export of Zairian gold. The Swiss Jewelers Association will be in charge of distribution of Zairian jewelry exports in Switzerland.

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Civil Rule Delayed In Nigeria

NAIROBI -- (NBNS) -- Declaring that coverage by the foreign press of the expulsion of two Americans from the country, Kenyan Foreign Minister Njoroge Mungai has continued to criticize the newspapers--the Washington Post and the Times of London.

He asserted that the coverage of the cases "was a malicious and gratuitous insult to this country's leaders and particularly its president, Jomo Kenyatta." The papers had said the Americans were expelled after becoming involved in difficulties with corrupt government officials.

Denver Boycotts Barred

DENVER -- (NBNS) -- Citizens groups have been barred from promoting boycotts to protest busing to achieve racial integration in the city's public schools by a federal court judge.

U.S. District Court Judge William E. Doyle ordered the boycotts, planned by the Citizens Association for Neighborhood Schools, a group that opposes mandatory busing of school children, cancelled.

Guyana's Ambassador Resigns

GEORGETOWN, Guyana -- (NBNS) Guyana's Ambassador to China, David Singh, has resigned since an ombudsman's report declared he was guilty of irregularities while minister of housing three years ago.

Lynn Cutler -- (continued from page 1)

al systems, said that the problem was part of a whole cycle.

"We cannot close our eyes to the fact that the criminal rarely springs full-blown at age twenty-one to break laws. We have to recognize that crime prevention means adequate funding of probation office departments of elementary age programs, and of day care centers. It is much cheaper to the community to do the preventive programming than the ultimate cost of apprehending, trying and incarcerating a criminal.

Many potential problems can be spotted at an early age by trained personnel and treated. We must remember that this is part of a big picture that involves governmental and citizen action at the federal state and local level."

Mrs. Cutler was scheduled to appear at U.N.I. with Congressional candidate Steve Rapp and State Representative Mary O'Halloran today.

NEWS FROM THE BEE HIVE LOOK AROUND YOU

Have you looked around you lately? Have you noticed how bad the housing problem really is in Waterloo?

Have you noticed the many broken windows in the already condemned houses? How about the roofing and other outward appearances of houses that appear to be vacant but are actually lived in.

Who seems to be doing anything?

There is a low Rent Housing Commission which was established to solve this problem, but all of their appeals are being turned down by the City Council.

Where are the people that know this problem exist, and know this problem is affecting them? Why haven't they come to the City Council in support of Low Rent Housing.

I sincerely hope that by the time I am voting age that housing will not be a major concern of Waterloo; and if it is lets hope that the younger voters will be involved in this and all other major problems of Waterloo to make it a better place to live.

Marcia Parker

Stockton Schools To Desegregate

STOCKTON -- (NBNS) -- The Stockton school system has been found racially segregated and told to desegregate the city's schools.

Judge John F. Keane, ruling on a suit filed more than four years ago, said the 28,000 elementary and high school students would have to desegregate since racial imbalance was found at 26 of the city's 30 elementary schools, for of the five junior high schools and at two of the district's three high schools.

Minorities make up 47 percent of the district's enrollment.

Whites Going To S. Africa

CAPE TOWN -- (NBNS) -- Whites have been entering South Africa in increasing numbers during the year that ended June 1974, according to the statistics ministry. A total of 54,605 whites entered the country, while only 13,458 left. Whites now total 16.69 per cent of the country's total population.

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